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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:

Eloise R. Page

Deputy Director, Intelligence Community Staff

SUBJECT:

Proposal for a short-duration project under the DCI's

Exceptional Intelligence Analyst Program

- 1. Recommended Action: That you approve the attached proposal (Attachment B) for a short-duration project under the DCI's Exceptional Intelligence Analyst Program (EIAP), and that you sign the attached letter to D/DIA (Attachment A) announcing your decision.
- Background: In accordance with your direction (see background memoranda), the EIAP has been expanded to encompass projects of shorter duration (less than one year) that are focused on issues of immediate concern to the Intelligence Community. A flexible review process has been established to respond to such projects as they are received, and projects may be submitted at any time in contrast to the one- to two-year projects which are approved in accordance with an annual review cycle.
- The attached short-duration (nine-months) project proposal by USMC, has been reviewed both by his parent agency (DIA) and by an Intelligence Community Staff panel, and is recommended for your approval for the following reasons:
 - The project deals with an issue of major interest to the Intelligence Community--national analytical support to U.S. forces in the field. Specifically, the project focuses on the unique intelligence requirements related to special operations and the Community's ability to meet those requirements. If successful, the project should constitute a significant contribution toward addressing a major intelligence issue.
 - The project should enhance the applicant's value as a career intelligence analyst. As constructed, it allows the applicant not only to research, collate, and analyze data, but also to examine information management techniques, analytical methodologies, and the efficiency of existing and proposed intelligence production systems.

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- Adequate funding is available in the EIAP budget for the estimated cost (\$9,090) of the project.

4. In sum, proposed project holds promise for developing valuable intelligence findings and merits your approval.

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Attachments:

A. Ltr to D/DIA (for signature)

B. Nine-month proposal by

APPROVED:

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The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

6 September 1985

Lieutenant General James A. Williams, US Army Director, Defense Intelligence Agency Washington, D. C. 20301

Dear Jim:

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It gives me great pleasure to inform you that USMC, has been selected to participate in the DCI Exceptional Analyst Program. I will be recognizing him formally at a brief awards ceremony which I will host at Langley in the near future. The Intelligence Community Staff will contact your organization with additional details on the ceremony, as well as administrative matters affecting participation.

Thank you for supporting this important program.

Sincerely

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20301-6111

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	Washington, D.C.	20505					
	SUBJECT: Short-Term Projects for the DCI Exceptional Analyst Program						
	Reference: DCI/IC 85-3502 letter, 16 January 1985, subject as above.						
STAT	The enclosed proposal from		USMC, is forwarded				
STAT	recommending favorable cons	sideration.	proposal was				
	reviewed by DIA's Career P	Program Selection Board an	d was found to have				
	sufficient merit to warrant c	onsideration of the DCI/IC s	staff.				
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	1 Enclosure a/s						
		Acting Director Training Division					

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DATE:	1 July 1985				
REPLY TO ATTN OF:	JSI-2C				
SUBJECT:	Request for Consideration for DCI Exceptional Intelligence Analyst Program				
Thru:	JSI-2C, JSI-2, JSI, JS OT-2				
Ref:	DIA Training Opportunity Bulletin No. 107-84				
	In accordance with the reference, I request to be favorably considered for the DCI Exceptional Intelligence Analyst Program. My proposed project, tentatively titled "National Intelligence Support to Special Operations", is one I believe will produce a significant benefit for DIA, the national intelligence community, and the military services. My project, as the title indicates, will examine national intelligence support to special operations in general and amphibious special operations in particular. The completed study should provide both the military services and the national intelligence community with a baseline to be used in satisfying the intelligence needs of special operations. The Marine Corps in particular has recently begun operational preparations to deploy such units but no dedicated study has set out their intelligence support. If I am allowed to conduct my project, the national intelligence community will be in a much improved position to support those operations and the national decisionmakers who will be ordering them. The need for a project such as the one I am proposing is real and immediate. I believe this project is highly desirable and will make a significant contribution to the intelligence community's mission. I also believe this project will meet the personal improvement goals of the Exceptional Intelligence Analyst Program, by improving my strategic and tactical intelligence background, giving me analytical experience dealing with a variety of problems, and help me progress toward my career goals.				

1 Enclosure DCI Exceptional Intelligence Analyst Program Application Captain, USMC

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